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Letter from Texas.
[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
ACETIN CITY, Texas, Aug. 6.—Thinking
perhaps some of your community would like to
hear from this "dark and benighted land"
(a la Radical) I will without preface or going
into the usual stereotyped apology briefly por-
tray some of the wants, as well as a sketch of
our country, climate and society.

In the first place the greatest extent of Texas
is eight hundred miles east and west and about
seven hundred miles north and south. The
superfices is estimated at two hundred and fifty
thousand square miles, an area equal to that of
the Austrian Empire, or three times the extent
of the six New England States, with a
population of (no census since 1860) I suppose
over one million and a half of live, energetic,
thrifty people, with an enormous daily increase
of enterprising immigrants from the older and
more populous States. Most gladly do we
welcome the mechanic, the farmer, and all
enterprising people without respect to old par-
tisan issues. We bid them come. Texas pos-
sesses more advantages and offers greater in-
ducements to the industrious settler than any
other State. Her products are more varied
than any other portion of the United States.
In many localities may be seen, growing side
by side, wheat, corn, cotton, rye, oats, tobacco
and hemp, all yielding equally well. Our sugar
lands are not equalled out of the tropics, each
having six weeks longer to mature than Louis-
iana, and her cotton commands in New York a
higher price than any of the cotton growing
States, besides producing more per acre. The
time too is not far distant when her wines from
the Mustang, a native grape, will be an article
of export and much sought after in other
countries.

To farmers and mechanics, and all who are
industrious, we say if you wish to better your
condition and live in a country where all who
work are liberally rewarded, where lands that
are now very cheap will be worth fortunes in a
few years, come to Texas. Come early in the
fall. Everything is prosperous; crops are fine
and the medical faculty report it "distressingly
healthy." Our school system is fine and it is
conveniently believed that in less than five years
Texas will mature the best system of free edu-
cation yet developed. In fact an education will
be in reach of every child of our beloved State.
Our fundamental law makes it obligatory upon
parents to send their children, under penalty.
The Peabody fund will now be distributed
among the schools in operation. A large mili-
tary institute is now being erected, on a ro-
mantic site near the city, on the plan of the
Virginia Military Institute. It is a large com-
modious building and can accommodate four
hundred students. It will be in operation by
the 20th of September next.

Our climate is not unequal, being salubri-
ous and delightful. The balmy breezes from
the east greatly mitigates the heat and ren-
ders the atmosphere pure and healthy. We
have more degrees of latitude and necessarily
greater differences in climate and season than
any other country.

The Northern, the Southern, the Eastern,
the Western man, all find homes in the Lone
Star, at a very slight cost. With cheap lands
and virgin soil, good health and rosy cheeked
children they will find their industry and en-
terprise rewarded with competence and for-
tune. Our correspondence from strangers,
making inquiry about Texas, has become a
task, here we are preparing a pamphlet for
gratuitous distribution, our aim in which will
be to confine ourselves strictly to facts and not
disappoint the most credulous.

Our Legislature now in session has taken
one very important and healthy step. The es-
tablishment of a bureau of immigration, which,
if carried out, will fully develop the natural re-
sources of the State. Many railroad schemes
are now before this body, and it is predicted
by some of the largest railroad men on this
continent that Texas will be checked with
paying lines in five years.

Taxation is very light. The State tax being
only 15 cents on the hundred and dollar. Our
homestead law is quite liberal, allowing two
hundred acres of land, or city property not to
exceed 5,000 in value, except for the purchase
money. Neither can the homestead be alienat-
ed without the consent of the wife if a man is
so very fortunate as to have one Adios. PAM

THE CENSUS OF 1870.—Partial returns from
the census takers in many of the States are
finding their way into the newspapers. It ap-
pears that the local estimates of the popula-
tion of every one of the large cities, and of
many of the second and third class, have been
much too large. New York will fall short of a
million souls; Chicago, cut down to three hun-
dred thousand, and so on. The aggregate popu-
lation of the United States, by the census
superintendent, is estimated at forty millions
from the returns received. The cities and
large towns of New England generally show an
increase, but those States, in their aggregate
population, appear to have gained little or
nothing since 1860, the gains in the cities be-
ing offset by losses in the rural districts.

Even the State of New York, above West-
chester and off from the Hudson river and
great railways, will not show much advance-
ment. The rate of increase in population will
doubtless be better in Pennsylvania. All the
East, however, has suffered by drainage to the
West, and from Ohio the increase in people
goes swelling till it culminates in Minnesota.
The great Northwestern State of Texas, how-
ever, will probably show an increase since
1860 in actual numbers hardly excelled by
Minnesota. California will not show anything
like the increase for this decade of that from
1850 to 1860. The rush there is over.

We have nothing yet from the census mar-
shals to indicate the growth or decline of the
States and cities of the South in population,
white and black. If there is any truth in the
reports of the decay of the blacks since their
emancipation, the census will exhibit a decline.
We think the returns of the white population
of the South, will, since 1860, show an as-
tonishing increase, and that Kentucky will
appear better than than any other State
except South Carolina.—N. Y. Herald.

The Oberlin College junior class, thinking a
recent sweltering morning was not warm
enough, built up a fire in their recitation room,
and when the hour for recitation came, and
with it the professor, the heat was almost suf-
focating. The professor stood his ground, and
made the class sweat before they got through
with the joke.

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DR. JAMES B. HODGKIN,
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[Graduate Baltimore College Dental Surgery,]
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H. of R. Washington, Jan 11-1f

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BANK OF THE OLD DOMINION.
Alexandria, Va., June 27th, 1870.
Notice is hereby given that the countersign
of notes of this Bank and its Branch at Pearis-
burg must be presented at this office for re-
demption at par on or before the last day of
July, 1871, or the same will be barred, in ac-
cordance with an act of the General Assembly
of Virginia, passed June 16th, 1870, entitled an
"Act for the relief of the Bank of the Old Do-
minion."

This Bank having been in a course of liq-
uidation for the past five years, and it being
desired to close up its business and to redeem
the small amount of its circulation now out-
standing, the holders of its notes are earnestly
requested to present them for payment at an
early day. WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier.
K. H. MILLER, Pres. jy 27-1awm

CORPORATION LICENSES.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE.
ALEXANDRIA, VA., July 27, 1870.
The attention of interested parties is called to
the following resolution, adopted by the City
Council of Alexandria, July 26th, 1870:
Resolved, That the Auditor be, and is here-
by, instructed to give notice to all persons
who are entitled to a license to call at his office
for a certificate of the amount due for such li-
cense, and when said amount is paid by the ap-
plicant to the Treasurer of the Corporation, the
Treasurer's receipt on said certificate shall con-
stitute the license asked for.
jy 28 K. E. ASHBY, Auditor.

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Arrived, per schr. Mary Fletcher, a well se-
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and hence
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standard, which twenty-five years' experience
in the trade satisfies us forms
A PERFECT MANURE.

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dition for drilling.

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15,000 bushels LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT,
in bulk.
1,000 sacks FINE SALT, factory filled,
"Runcom" brand, equal to Marshall's. Also
per bag "Three Sisters."
9,000 bushels LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT,
in bulk.
1,000 sacks FINE SALT of the popular
brand "Stoved."
We will fill this Salt 10 or 12 to the ton, as
parties may desire, or sell in bulk at lowest
market rates. HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

WE HAVE ALSO NOW IN STORE A
full supply of
LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT.
KVANS' FINE SALT,
TURKS ISLAND SALT—for sale at lowest
market rates.
feb 21-1f HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
The firm of JAMES F. CARLIN & CO. has
this day been dissolved.
August 1, 1870. JAS. F. CARLIN & CO.

NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.
We have this day formed a copartnership un-
der the firm name of
JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,
and will continue to conduct the HARDWARE
business in all its branches, at the old stand,
No. 63 King street.
We shall use our best endeavors to give satis-
faction to our friends, old and new. All orders
will meet with prompt attention.
JAS. F. CARLIN,
EDWIN R. CARLIN,
GEO. BENONI CARLIN.
aug 1-1f

I HAVE MOVED MY ENTIRE STOCK OF
POTOMAC FISH
to my store, No. 74 south Fairfax street, where
I will offer for sale—
75 half bbls Family Roe Herring.
75 half bbls Family Roe " "
40 bbls prime " "
10 bbls Clipped Roe "
12 bbls Family Roe "
20 kts Shad Roe "
These fish are all a superior article of my own
curing.
I also offer for sale one fine young HORSE,
1 BUGGY, and 1 SET BUGGY HARNESS.
SAML J. REED,
No. 74 south Fairfax street.
jy 4

NOTICE—CERTIFICATE No. 1, for ten
shares, and certificate No. 9, for ninety
shares, of the capital stock of the Alexandria
and Fredericksburg Railway Company, in the
name of D. C. McCallum, having been lost, the
said applicant has been sworn to the said
misadventure, application has been made to the
undersigned, who is the lawful owner.
je 24-law2m G. B. ROBERTS.

LINEN OR COTTON SHIRTS,
Quaker City
Made to order by measurement and delivered
in ten days. Have also on hand at all times
a complete assortment of Gents' and Boys' Lin-
en Collars of every style, old or new.
aug 2 CHAS. W. GREEN,
68 King street.

GROUND PLASTER.
We offer our GROUND PLASTER from our
mill, on Princess street, on terms as low as can
be had anywhere, and respectfully solicit from
our friends a continuance of their favors.
LEE & BROTHER,
jy 9-2m Manufacturers and Dealers

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BALTIMORE LOOK HOSPITAL.
DR. JOHNSTON,
Physician of this celebrated institution, has
discovered the most Certain, Speedy, Pleasant
and Effectual Remedy in the world for all
DISEASES OF IMPRUDENCE.

Weakness of the Back or Limbs, Strictures
Affecting the Kidneys or Bladder, Involun-
tary Discharges, Impotency, General Debility,
Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Langour, Low Spirit,
Confusion of Ideas, Palpitation of the Heart,
Timidity, Trembling, Dimness of Sight, or Gid-
diness, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose or
Skin, Affections of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach
or Bowels—those terrible Disorders arising
from Solitary Habits of Youth—secret, and soli-
tary practices, most fatal to the victims than
the sons of the Syrens to the Mariners of Ulysses,
blighting their most brilliant hopes or an-
ticipations, &c.

YOUNG MEN
Especially, who have become the Victims of
Solitary Vice, and dreadful and destructive
habits which annually sweep to an unt